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LATEST WAR TELEGRAMS.

H.M.S. ARETHUSA STRIKES A MINE ON THE EAST COAST.

FRARS THAT SHE WILL BECOME A TOTAL WRECK,

Turks and Germans Quarrel Over Transference of Troops.

FRENCH ATTACK IN THE WEST: GERMAN COMPANY DECIMATED.

[Reuter's Service to The "Telegraph."]

THE NEW BRITISH ARMIES.

ALL SINGLE MEN CALLED UP.

February 14, 3.45 p.m. A Proclamation has been issued calling up all single men.

THE BALKAN SITUATION.

FURTHER BRITISH REINFORCEMENTS AT SALONICA.

February 14. 3.45 n.m. Renter's correspondent at Athens states that further British reinforcements have arrived at Salonics, while the French are proceeding further northward along the railway.

BRITISH NAVAL DISASTER.

H. M. S. ARETHUSA STRIKES A MINE.

February 14, 5.15 p.m.

The Admiralty announces that the cruiser Arethusa, commanded by Commodore R. Y. Tyrwhitt, has struck a mine on the East Coast, and it is feared that she will become a total wreck. About ten men lost their lives.

The Arethusa, a light cruiser of 3,750 tons, built in 1914. has figured prominently in the war, baving taken a conspicuous part in the action in Heligoland Bight on August 28, 1914. Prior to this action British submarines found that the island was being used as a base for a force of German cruisers and destroyers, and a plan for cutting them out and destroying them was therefore decided upon. A move was accordingly made to tempt the enemy's shipe out, and this succeeded. The hostile destroyers which came out, in pursuit of our vessels were led on until they found themselves engaged with four other destroyers and the cruiser Arethusa. Cruisers came to the assistance of the German destroyers and soon the advanced section of the British force was hotly engaged. 19 destroyers of the 3rd Flotilla, the light cruiser Fearless and 17 destroyers of the 1st Flotilla. The bulk of the hostile vessels evaded action and left the brunt of the fight to the cruisers. These fought a strenuous action, and almost succeeded in destroying the Arethusa, reducing her speed from 30 knots to six knots and putting all her guns save one out of action. We lost no ships, but three German light cruisers and a destroyer were sunk!

THE TURKISH DEFEAT IN THE CAUCASUS.

A LIVELY TU CO-DERMAN QUARKEL

February 14, 1.40 p.m. Renter's correspondent at Paris states that after the Turkish defeat in the Cancasus a lively discussion occurred in the War Council at Constantinople between Enver Pashs and the German Generala.

Enver Pashs insisted on the necessity of transferring to the Cancesus Turkish troops from Thrace and Bulgaria. The Germans however, declared that it was essential to keep the Turkish troops at Thrace, as the Salonica Front was the most important.

THE NEAR EAST.

TURKISH FORCES FOR MESOPOTAMIA.

February 14, 4.50 p.m. Reuter's correspondent at Athens says that formibable Turkish forces are proceeding towards Mesopotamia from the Dardanelles.

AN UNFOUNDED REPORT.

Pebruary 14, 4.50 p.m. It is stated that the report concerning the injuries to My Heshame White is unfounded.

LATEST WAR TELEGRAMS.

A DISTRESSED ZEPPELIN.

AT THE MERCY OF THE WIND:

February 14, 4.50 p.m. Beuter's correspondent at Copenhagen states that the Zoppelin L 20 was observed on the 11th inst. over the island of Mance flying very low and slowly. Her engines were swidently damaged. The sizship was steering towards the south, but a strong easterly breeze drove her westward.

AUSTRIA FOLLOWS GERMAN METHODS.

PRICELESS SIXTH CENTURY CHURCH DAMAGED.

February 14, 4.50 p.m. Benter's correspondent at Rome states that the Austrians at Bavenna damaged the priceless Sixth Century Byzantine Church of St. Apollinare.

His Holiness the Pope is most grieved, and has again appealed to the Emperor Francis Joseph to spare the churches.

BOMBS DROPPED: ON MILAN.

February 14, 5.00 p.m. Reuter's correspondent at Milan states that enemy scroplanes in the forescon appeared there and were fusileded by sati-sircraft guns. They were counter-attacked by Italian airmen, and the enemy retired after dropping some bombs. The material damage was slight. Six civilians were killed and some injured.

GERMAN LINERS IN NEUTRAL PORTS.

ADVISED TO DASH FOR LIBERTY.

February 14, 4.50 p.m. Reuter's correspondent at New York says it is reported that all German liners in neutral harbours have received the one to dash for liberty whenever the opportunity occurs.

ENEMY TRADING.

WELL-KNOWN BUSINESS MEN SENTENCED.

February 14, 4.50 p.m. William Gardiner Rigden, William Towny Rigden and Stanley Rigden, partners in the well-known firm of Fowner, glove-makers. have been sentenced at the Old Bailey to a fine of \$500, together with 12 months' and four months' imprisonment in the second division respectively, for trading with the enemy.

THE PANAMA CANAL.

BETTER DEFENCES SUGGESTED.

February 14, 1.20 p.m. Renter's correspondent at Washington says the acquisition of more territory at both termini of the Panama Canal has been recommended to the War Department by Brigadier General Edwards Our forces comprised the Arethusa (Commodore Tyrwhitt) in order to increase the range of defences to correspond with the increased range of modern gone.

THE CAPTURED ENEMY OFFICIALS.

February 14, 1.20 p.m.

Beuter's correspondent at Petrograd states that the Government has decided that the Turkish Ambassador who was captured near Keredje shall be sent to furkey. The Austrian Military Attache has been sent to Russia as a prisoner of war,

ROUMANIA PREPARING.

MOBILISATION NOW COMPLETE.

February 14, 5.00 p.m. A French wireless message states that the Roumanian mobilisation is complete with the calling up of one new Class. The Staff has completed both the Carpathian and Danube defences.

FRENCH ATTACK IN THE WEST.

A GERMAN COMPANY WIPED OUT.

February 14, 5.20 p.m. According to Reuter's correspondent at Paris, a communique says that southward of the Somme the French made an attack at duals on German works near Fries and occupied some portions of the German trenches. A counter-attack was mown down by the French fire. The communique adds: We surrounded a Garmany. Company, decimating it. The Captain and seventy survivors surrendered. We also took other prisoners and a number of machineguns. The enemy's dead reached a considerable figure.

In the event of telegrams arriving too late for insertion on this pege they will be lound on Page \$1.

WAR TELEGRAMS

EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

THE ALLIES IN THE WEST.

February 14, 210 a.m.

A Paris communique says:-The Germans made a series of attacks in Artois, first in the morning west of Hill 140 without result, and in the afternoon after a violent bombardment they attacked at four different points. Three of the attacks were stopped dead by artillery and rifle fire. The fourth attack gained a footing in the first line trench west of Hill 140, but the Germans were immediately ejected by a counter-attack which inflicted heavy loss. A German seroplane was shelled and fell in flames within our lines. cest of Givenchy. A German grenade attack south of Frise failed. Century Byzantine Church of St. We bombarded enemy works east of the Oise. German artillery has been most active between Spissons and Rheims, where our artillery rendered abortive the infantry attacks which were being prepared. We took prisoners in a fight in Champagne. The enemy gained footing in the advanced trenches east of Tahure. An enemy attack in Upper Alesce was crushed by our artillery.

THE RUSSIANS.

AN IMPORTANT VILLAGE CAPTURED.

February 4, 2.10 a.m. According to Reuter's correspondent at Petrograd a communique says:-There has been fierce artillery fighting in the Rige region. The Germans attempted an attack near Jacobstadt, but the Russians rushed out of their trenches and repulsed them. The Germans are using asphyxiating hand grenades in the Dvinak sector. The Russians captured, and held against counter-attacks, the village of Garbunovka which is important for the protection of Dvinsk.

BIG CAPTURES IN THE CAUCASUS.

February 14, 2.10 a.m. A Petrograd communique says the Russians in the Caucasus are advancing in deep snow with a temperature fifty below zero. They forced inacces able passes near Erzerum and captured 800 prisoners, seven guns, and much booty. The bombardment of Erzerum continues effectively and it caused a great explosion in a fort. The Russians in Persia have occupied the town of Duletabad in the region of Hamadan.

GERMAN GUNBOAT SUNK

February 14, 400 am.

An official message from Belgium states that the German gunboat Hedwig Wissmann has been sunk in a fight on Lake Tanganyika. Two Germans were killed and twenty one were captured by the Anglo-Belgian flotills, which snatained no losses.

BRITISH NAVAL PARTY IN RUSSIA.

February 14, 4.00 a.m. The first number of the Archangel Herald, "the official organ of the R.N.A.S. Bussian Expedition," has been received in England and shows that several hundred British naval men, composing automobile squadrons, commanded by Capt. Locker Lampson, M.P., arrived in Russia before Christmas. It contains a message of farewell from H.M. the King in reply to Capt. Locker Lampson, with a commentary by the latter mentioning that the force was recruited from all parts of the Empire, including South Africa. The recent casualty list testifies that it has already been in action.

THE LATEST GERMAN-AMERICAN CONTROVERSY.

February 14, 11.10 a.m.

Reuter's correspondent at Washington says that the State Department has received the text of Germany's submarine memorandum. Reuter's New York correspondent says the newspapers are of the opinion that President Wilson is involved in an inextricable controversy as the result of the memorandum following Mr. Lansing's suggested disarmament of merchantmen. Officials of the State Department are quoted as expressing surprise at the assumption by the Press that the United States had accepted the proposal of Germany.

February 14, 11.10 a.m. Reuter's correspondent at Rome states that Mr. Briand and his colleagues lanched with King Victor Emmanuel at Bestiquerters They visited the Italian front, and deported for Paris in the evening bolder: 1130 a.m.

TELEGRAMS.

NEWS FOR BUSY MEN.

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The Report of the U.S. Department of Commerce says that Japanese manufacturers have captured the American cotton goods trade with China.

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OUR CONTEMPORARIES.

South Chine Morning Post.

Cormany's War Methods. Chivalry is at a discount in Germany. The latest piece of frightfulness is that of deliberately making bomb targets of tramcars and a Sais school Hote destardly conduct it is hard to imagine. The German air raids may be compared to the actions of a refrectory child who, having had something withheld from it, brocks things. Carry the simile a little inrther, and we know that the refractory infantin due course Anemiaining petitsen-liew serioser Germany having broken things in her spasms of children spite, not only treatise but all the traditions connected with civilized wariars and the conduct of armies, merits a corresponding mede of punishment. Being undera blockade, which is not so ineffective as she would have the world think, she turns in her anger to her submarine policy and air raids. In both these phases of what she is pleased to call warfare it is significant that in reality no great harm, in a strategical sense, is being done.

Daily Press.

The Policy of Reprisals. The policy of reprisal, it will be recalled, was once attempted in a very modified form. ~ England. with ample justification, decided that the captured members of a submarine crew, who were guilty of murder on the high seas, were not entitled to be treated as honograble prisoners of war. This decision was publicly announced. and Germany promptly piaced many. British officers in solitary confinement and would, doubtless, soon have resorted to harsher measures if our policy had been persisted in. Only that nation which is lost to all sense of honour and national dignity can hope to triumph in any display of "frightfulness." Engiand cannot Prices, Samples and full particulars will be forwarded on application afford to sully her reputation by resorting to methods the practice of which has made the name of her enemy a scorn and by-word among nations.

China Mail.

The War Situation.

The telegrams of the past few days show the enemy to be making desperate efforts at many points, east and west, to break through the Allied lines, but with no success whatever. Military critica generally agree that in view of the enormous Josess Ger-15.00 many has so far suffered in the war that she is bound, while she is still able to maintain her effectives at the front, to force an early decision. On the other hand the chief consideration the Germans is said to have been that the Alber, after building up a surplus of men in the West and the East, will dash it sway in attacks on the enemy's entrenched lines. Thus, the Germans think, the war would come to a draw and the Central Powers would be saved, although they admit that British see power would compel them to surrender their conquests. Hence the shorts the enemy has been making to secure "an honourable peace on the strength of the present military situation." They find their adversaries, however, holding very different views. They have only just become fully prepared for such a war as the Central Powers sunched upon them engliseen months ago.

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GENERAL NEWS

The "Dartmoor Shepherd" Again. At the Liverpool Sessions recently, David Davies, aged 74, the notorious. "Dartmoor Shepberd. was sentenced to six months for their from an offertory ber at a church in Liverpool.

Temperature Variations in Formosa.

In Taipeh, Formoss, the tenperature remained at about 80 degrees F. until the 23rd ultimo, when a sudden change came about and the temperature fell to 42 degrees. Snow fell to a depth of over an inch. It is stated that such a low temperature has not been recorded for over ten

A Chinese Amsteur Detective.

Detective work by Louis Lee, a Chinese merchant in Philadelphis resulted in the arrest of John Faro, a negro, on a charge of baving chloroformed the Chinaman's wife, Mrs. Florence Lee, and robbing her of several dismond rings. The merchant said he met a negro coming down the stairs before the discovery of the robbery on December 21. Since that time Lee has been on the look-out for him ever since. Accused was remanded.

Antiquity of the Safety Pin. That the Hittites were in constant communication with other nations is shown by the fact that Egyptian scarabs and amulats, Phoenician pottery, and Greek terra cotta figures are found in the tombs of different periods. Bronze daggers and jewellery are a safety pin, three thousand years old, that would still work. Some Stone Age pottery, with the or of the weather god, was found timated at \$2,000,000. in its original kiln -- Correspondence of the Christian Herold. Trouble in Haiti.

Port-su-Prince, Haiti, January 5.-A revolutionary outbreak occurred at two o'clock this morning at Port-au-Prince. The force of American marines maintained in this city was attacked. One of the rebels was killed by the Americans, who suffered no losses. Several groups of the insurrectionists moved on Grand Prevot, and ran through the streets of the town discharging rifies. The Americans met them, and they were rapidly dispersed. ed as a piece of folly.

persons lynched were negroes and ed military force. 14 whites. The year before 49 were negroes and three whites. Three women were mob victims during 1915. In four instances, cosmopolitan haby it is surely the sccording to the Tuskegee records, innocent persons were put Brooks, says the Globe. to death by mobs. Lynching by baby is a Princess of Sarawak States is given: Alabama, 9 18; Illinois, 1; nentucky, 5 Louisiana, 2; Mississippi, 9 Missouri, 2; Ohio, 1; Oklahoma, Zona Dare, and Lady Esher, mo-2; Texas. 5; Virginia, L.

Vancouver's Red Cross Record. The Vancouver Central Red Court of St. James's. Cross depot has established a splendid record for the year 1915 approximately 111,000 pounds. shipped through other sources. the extent of the Red Cross work got \$700 G: in Vancouver. While no figures Preliminary to Abolishing Likin. lieved that the German reply will for comparison are obtainable for from Canada was 13,482. Vanbranches had contributed oneeighteenth of this total,

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GENERAL NEWS.

The San Diego Flood. A San Francisco despatch to the Asa's reports that over 3,000 people have been rendered homeless owing to the San Diego fixed. Thirty bodies of those who were drowned have been recovered, including those of some Japanese. fairly common, and I was shown A party of blue sekets has been landed from an American man-ofwar and is giving assistance to the municipal workers for the relief very ancient emblem of thunder, of the sufferers. The loss is es-

> Nepotism at the Bar. course, no new story, especially in Ireland. There is a pleasant civil population of his country. old yern of two Irish judges discussing the subject over their wine. "Well, well," said one. "they can say what they like, but, cocteris parabus, I shall always maintain that one's relations fifty shillings a ton. have the first claim." " My good man," said the other, "coderis paribus be damned." Standard U.S. General and Preparedness.

M.jor-General Leonard Wood The outbreak is generally con- former Chief of Staff of the United demned, and has been characteris- States Army, and well known for his excellent work in the Philip-Lynchings in U.S. Last Year. pines, has given it as his opinion Montgomery, Als., Jan. L.— that: We (America) have never Lynchings in the United States in | yet waged war single handed with 1915 numbered 69, as recorded at a first-class nation prepared for Turkegee Institute, and announce war. Our people know nothing ed to-day. This was 17 more than of what such a struggle means: in 1914. Georgia led the States they have no conception of the with 18 lynchings. Mississippi effect of the application of wellwas second with nine. Fifty-five organized and thoroughly-prepar-

Raja Brooke's Cosmopolitan Granddaughter,

If there is such a thing as infant daughter of Mrs. Vyner and her mother, until a few years Arkaness, 5; Florida, 5; Georgia, 820, was Miss Sylvia Brett; Mr Oliver Brettmarried an American. Mr. Manrice Brett married Miss 3; South Carolina, 1; Tennessee, ther of them all, was the daughter of Mr. Sylvain van de Weyer, at one time Belgian Minister at the

New York Theatre Robbed. New York, December 27.and it is doubtful if any city of Masked men bound four persons the size in Canada can show a hand and foot at the Star Theatre, better report. From Dec. I, 1914, Lexington Avenue, early this to date the central depot has morning, prized off the door of Germany. shipped 1,588 cases, weighing the safe in the ticket-office, and took the receipts of the Friday The total number of garments is Saturday, and Sunday perform-1,019,403. When it is taken into ances. The janitor, his wife, the consideration that a quantity of watchmen, and a scrubwoman, hospital supplies has also been who were in the building at the to East Prussis to consult with time, were told by the intruders such as the Daughters of the, that if they made an outcry they Empire, the public may grasp would be killed. The burglars

As a preliminary step to the the whole year, reports up to the abolition of likin two special comend of September showed that missioners, Tien Chung-yu and the total number of cases shipped Chao Chun-men, were appointed to investigate conditions in the conver and its wards and outside provinces, but owing to various ressons they have not yet started for the south on their tour of investigation. These officials have now established an office in the Chinese Ministry of Finance for I one of the big variety of the purpose of studying the vardainty diebes at the ALEXAN- low documents dealing with this DRA CAFR is sure to tempt metter, and it is reported that this work will take them at least

four months.

A YEAR AGO TO-DAY.

LEADING EVENTS IN THE GREAT WAR.

(Extracts from the war news contained in the "Hongkong Telegraph" of February *15*, *1915*.)

Silly German Threat Repeated.

Count Bernstorff, the German Ambassador to Washington, discassed with Mr. Bryan the seizure of the Wilhelmina's cargo, repeated the threat to cut off British The nepotism of the bar is, of commerce in retaliation for Great Britain's attempt to starve the

> All Oats Seized in Germany. The German Government has seized the stocks of cats in Ger- tionmany and has increased the price

The Turko-Greek Incident. A rupture of relations between Turkey and Greece, in cousequence of the Attache incident, was marrowly averted. The Greek Minister announced his intention to leave Constantinople within twenty-four hours unless satisfaction was accorded. The Grand Vizier vaguely replied that the Porte would grant satisfaction, whereupon the Minister reiterated his intention to leave immediately unless the Grand Vizier gave a written assurance. The Grand Vizier promptly accoded. Further German Warning to Neutral Shipping.

A German Legation commanique, issued to-might, reiterates the warning to neutral shipping, and adds new paragraph, which states: As Great Britain says that she is justified in hoisting neutral flags, and moreover, according to a reliable source, British merchantmen have been armed in order to destroy German submarines or ram them; these ships become war vessels. Germany, therefore, urgently warns all neutral ships entering the English or Irish coast waters after the 18th inst., that Germany will prosecute the war by all means in her power, and neutral ships will run the same risk as if they were steaming through sesbattles between England and Cerman Feeling against America.

The American Note has greatly embarrassed the German Government, and it is reported that Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg is going the Kaiser. The anger of the German people against America is rising, and being energetically fanned by the Press. It is bebe apologetic, but will not guarantee the salety of American ships unless the American Jovernment prohibits belligerents from flying the American flag.

German Version of the Air-raid-2 Berlin communique states that hostile airmen have again hombarded the coast, causing heavy and deplorable damage to life and property. The commanique also states that the Garmana have discovered shells on the west front which are clearly of American make,

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BIRTH. DONNELLY.-At Forebank East, 166 Peak, Hongkong, on the 13th February, 1916, the wife of D. E. Donnelly, of a son.

The Hongkong Telegraph.

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1916.

THE GERMAN PRESS IN SHANGHAL

Last year some Germans in Shanghai, with more eye to drams- move any element of doubt as to appointed French Consul General tion" tic effect than truth, elected to establish a tri-weekly organ entitled The War. Two or three samples have recently been passed on to us for our delectation, and we find them—not quite so bad as they might have been. The paper is, indeed, an interesting mixture. containing articles that are frankly nothing more than sheer rubbish. and others (in most cases translated from German newspapers) by no means ill-written and calculated scmewhat to appeal to a thoughtful reader—the whole comprising four small pages, plus a loose leaf of Ostasistische Lloyd telegrams for the enlightenment of the Chinase mind. About certain of the specimens there is a very marked hyphenated" touch, and we note that some of the articles are reprinted from American pro-German papers.

We will not bore our readers with lengthy quotations from The War. The following few lines form a fair example of the mental food which the Shanghai Germans are laying before Chinese who St. Valentine's Day. can read English (and, for that matter, for those who cannot for our exemies are still occupied in circulating their "news" in Chinese). "How entirely justified the submarines are in sinking enemy craft customs die hard never applied is exemplified by the case of the P.and O. a.s. Kashgar, which more fully to any of the fast-dying actually opened hostilities by firing on the U. boat immediately it customs than that of St. Valenwas observed. No warning was given by the steamer. Who then, time's Day, which fell due yesterafter this, will blame the U. boats if they in their turn sink without day. It seems a great pity that warning what enemy vessels they meet?" As an instance of Teutonic this should be so, yet one has logic this is not easily bettered. Had the argument been only to review many of the famiadvanced twelve months ago it might have found listeners, but liar observances to realise, with is there anyone to-day who does not know that, long before the arm- a pang of regret, that the push ing of mercuantmen was talked of, the Germans were busy sinking and strife of the present generasuch craft-often not caring whether they were Allied or neutral tion are fast ousting them. For thips; for the German with a torpedo is like a savage with a struggle as the older folks will new knife; as irresponsible, as wanton and as heedless as to results, to keep them fresh, they are The quotation given amply illustrates what we might call the better ruthlessly cast saide, and no class of reading matter supplied by our worthy contemporary; doubt a few more years will see while, of the other sort, the following is not lacking in interest: their complete demise. Indeed, if "Twelve big merchant ships running into a German minefield at the one half of the people of to-day month of the Thames were blown up in a single day, three weeks ago, were asked who Saint Valentine ... The Great Central station in Leman Street, one of the big was, they would probably not be Lendon terminals, was levelled in one of the Zeppelin raids." When she to answer, the name to them we were last in London, the Great Central terminus was in the only signifying, so far as they Marylebone Road, and Leman Street was out Whitechapel way, with |can express their hazy ideas. a distance of somewhere about six miles between; but a Zeppelin the exchange of greetings capable of doing all this levelling could quite easily transport a mere between friends of long associarailway terminus from west to east.

journalism come some pamphlets which are being strewn still believe that St. Valentine was about Shangbai; one published in New York and alleged a bishop who suffered martyrdom to to written by an Irish-American, and another published in under Claudins II. at Rome, or, Vienns and penned by one Philipp Broch. The latter shows according to others, under Aurehow entirely the financial and economic side of the war satisfies lian in 271 A.D., on February 14. everybody in Austria, while the former is described as Greatest Hit in War Literature," and is a bright little skit, in ques- to mate on this day; hence the tion and answer form, which lies by suggestion rather well and amus. practice, in days gone by, ingly, and which, by its ardent admiration for German "culture," young people choosing their does not convince us that its author had much Irish blood in him. The best way to combat lies is by means of the truth, and one wonders lives of an amatory or satirical if our Foreign Office is doing as much as it might do in regard to insture, generally anonymously. circulating the truth among the Chinese, in the vernscular. Shanghai Neither do the younger people British and French journalists are quite well able to take care of know that the day is, or was, only themselves over the making clear of the position for European observed in Great Britain, or that readers; but the amount of information, for the Chinese in their own a similar custom once prevailed denguage, which our Government puts forth is as nothing compared in France on the first Sunday in with that circulated in Shanghai. Canton and the interior by the Lent. Gernans. Could not this matter be attended to?

A Chinese bawker who was charged at the Police Court yesterday with crying his wares in a prohibited street did not mek to hide the fact that he had once previously been before the magistrate for a similar offence; but he was at some pains to point out that on that occasion the breach of the Colony's bye-laws took place in a totally different thoroughfare. Needless to say, that did not constitute a n sufficient argument in the opinion The excuse, if it can be called one, was most probably inspired by the defendant's determination was. But it does serve to point the desirability of the authorities making it plainer than at present which streets are within the prohibited area and which are not. By doing that, a point would be gained in the suppression of the evil since the public would then be able to act with some measure of certainty when they encounter these noisy individuals. At Home the custom is for the Municipality to erect street signs prohibited : offenders will be pro- leaders at Hankow. secuted." Why cannot Hongkong follow suit?

Grahame White.

The abourd and malicious storiec which have been circulating for some months past concerning Hongkong Observatory, left for the fate of Mr. Grahame White, South Africa on leave yesterday. the famous aviator, have surely now been set at rest. Some months ago the most circumstantial accounts were bruited about at Home of his having come to a rather ignominious end, but two items which we published yesterday proved how utterly untrue the rumours were. In the 018 628 named serecently as a month ago in connection with certain proceedings brought by his wife, and in the other comes the news while helping his country at the Front. This latest information takes us up to two days ago, which should be sufficient to rehis continued existence. He has won great isme as an aviator, and his many admirers harbour hope that he will be spared to do vet further service on behalf of his country in the realm which he has made his own. Since the above was written, a telegram has of the famous swistor having been wounded is unfounded, but this news does not affect the main point which we have made—that he is still alive.

.. The well-known saying that old tion. But those of mature years still cling with the same degree German of pleasure to the anniversary, and "The The old idea was that birds began valentines" by sending missDAY BY DAY

A FOOL MUST NOW AND THEN BE RIGHT BY CHANCE —COWDER

The Weather-At the Peak 8 am. Temp. 47 Lower level 8 a.m. Temp. 58;

The Malis. American, Canadian and Siberian Mails.—Closed pers.s. Tenyo

Maru at 11 a.m. to-day. of the magistrate to let him off. Canadian, American and U. K. Mails,-Closed per s.s. Chiesgo Mare at 1 p.m.

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The Dollar. The rate of the dollar on demand to-day is I/111.

To-morrow's Anniversary. To-morrow is the 15th anniverin this thoroughfare is strictly sary of the execution of Boxer

> Departed. Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Craddock and Miss Craddock left by the s.s. Mongara to-day.

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For Home. Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Blackburn and Mrs. H. E. Stevens left for Home by the a.s. Mongara to-day.

Street Obstructions. No less than 52 summones for obstruction were heard by Mr. J.

U.S. Consul.

French Consul Leaves. at New York, left to day by the the Tenyo Maru, being accompanied for by his two daughters.

To Consignees.

Death Ecquiry.

No Bond. At the Police Court this morning, before Mr. Hazeland. Police Sergeant Davies, of Yaumati. charged a launch owner, named Lau Fat. of 34. Temple Street, Yauman for that he being the owner of the launch Kwong Kini. plying for hire between Castle Peak Bay and Yaumati, had not entered into a bond as required

by Ordinance. Defendant was fined \$100. Trespassing in the Post Office. A Chinese was charged before Mr. J. R. Wood this morning with trespassing in the General Post Office, at 10.10 p.m. yesterday. It was stated by Mr. Martin Supervisor of Mails, that the defendant was found in the first Assistant Auditor's Office. with a friend. It transpired that the friend was employed in the office and at the time was engaged in cleaning out the grate -- work which should have been finished long before. A fine of \$2 was

imposed.... Absentee Gamblers. Charged with gambling at 10, Lyndhurst Terrace, yesterday, two men and nine women were brought before Mr. J. R. Wood at the Court this morning. Two of the defendants were also charged with keeping the house for gaming purposes. Defendants were ordered to be estrested. The two charged with keeping the house had been let out on bail of on beil in \$10 each s total of

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FUTILE GERMAN EFFORTS.

More Troops for Britain.

Yingchow at 3 p.m. to-day, men were to be revised. Only who had the appearance of have been under-trained; they Australian Mail.—Closed per s.s. a small number, and yet, some a countryman was walking along have been trained as well as they benevolent Cabinet.

day. Various fines were imposed thought, but if we needs must inform the censor of the coming have it—and it is the disloyalists mail matter. It works beautifully. 182, 1421, 2141. Mr. T. Sammons, U. S. Consul whom we have to thank-let us General at Shanghai, left for the at lesst handle the matter in a that he has been severely wounded North by the Tenyo Marn to-day, dignified manner and not leave it being accompanied by Mrs. Sam- so that the very men who were the cause of the introduction of the compulsory system can still M. Liebert, who has been escape. That is what "exemphas done for us up to present. We hope, too, the sake of the fellows who required neither coaxing nor force, and who, for Consignees of cargo by the considerably more than a year steamers Monteagle. Tenyo Maru | have been bearing their country's and Kansas are reminded that burden in the trenches, that there goodsremsining undelivered after will be some means of marking arrived to the effect that the report to-morrow will be subject to stor- off the volunteers from the pressedmen. We knowersctly the type of mar who has gone to swell this An enquiry into the circum- latter noble hand; and, when the stances attending the death of the war is over, unless some effective Chief Officer of the s.z. Linen, spoke is put in his wheel, we Mr. Shepherd, which took place know that he will be swaggering suddenly in his cabin recently, round, fighting his battles over will be held by Mr. Hazeland, at again and gaily forgetting the the Police Court on Friday, at fact that he had to be kicked into the field. All conscripts should be made to wear a distinguishing

A Useless Resistance

of the enemy's tectics and efforts | 6th a policeman discovered the is daily a little more pronounced, robbers dividing the spoil in a On the French front, in Russia, house used by an athletic club. and in the Caucasus these won- The house was raided at once attacks, etc., etc. have been turn- all the booty recovered. ed back by the Allies, one after another, more citen than not at a iearful expense to Germany. Austria or Turkey. Even the asphyristing gas that the German mind so loves and leans on does not seem to have been very effective against the Russians at Drinek. Presently it will begin to occur to the enemy that, even if we are to be condemned to an interminable hide-and-seek trench war, it is worse for him than for us; that we can now replace men and munitions more quickly and on a vaster scale than he, and that, while we are free from discontent at home, his own territory swarms with it. How much longer can or will the Turks attempt to carry on their futile operations in Asia? They must surely know did not appear and their bails that, however promising things may have looked for them and their German allies a few months ago, their chance of scoring has \$50 each, and all the others were now gone by, and that the insure has nothing but increasing defeat in store for them.

CANTON NEWS

Sharp Practices of Detectives, Canton February 12.

employed by the Government are is being taken in the early morn-The proclamation has been the number of "revolutionists" instead of Wednesday and Saturissued which calls to the colours they succeed in finding. Hence, day being set appart as the days the remainder of Lord Derby's we are not to be surprised to hear in the week, a visitor to the course groups of unmarried men, together they are not over scrupulous in can be assured of seeing some with those compulsorily enlisted their efforts to apprehend these fine exhibitions any morning. under the Military Act. Yester- people, sometimes manufacturing Taken as whole, the ponise give day Reuter understood that only evidence against totally innocent remarkable promise; yet one or a small percentage of recruits had persons for the cake of the reward two, it can easily be discerned. been obtained by the calling up they will receive. One of the would be all the better if the of the first four groups, and, local papers publishes a story Races were not due for another further, that the lists of exempted to the effect that a traveller fortnight or so. It is not that they time back, Mr. Asquith told us the Bund towards the store of the could possibly be in the time at that the Derby Scheme had been Sincere Co. He passed a group the disposal of their owners, but, a huge (nay, an "unqualified") of men who were talking noisily nevertheless, with a little extra success! It is our British habit, and as he did so, he felt a hand grace, there is not the slightest when once we have been deceived in his pocket. He thought little shadow of doubt they would show in or by a Cabinet Minister, of it knowing that a pickpocket even greater improvement. rarely to repose confidence in him would find nothing in that pocket, Under the judicious handling again; and it seems to us that Mr. but a little later he put his own of the jockeys during the remain-Asquith will have to do a very hand in and discovered a letter ad- ing week, it is expected the great deal more for the country dressed to Mr. Chan Hip-wan, from animals will show better form all than he has done, before this a Mr. Lee in Macso. On opening round, and it was particularly little slip of his will be the strange missive, he found it noticeable this morning, and forgotten or forgiven. It is contained instructions concerning gratifying too, to observe how well estisfactory to learn, however, the transfer of bombs to Cauton; the pomies answered to their new that the list of exemptions is to be Realizing his danger, the man riders. Johnstone rode the most revised. We don't want Radical went to a safe place at once and ponies, and his reputable style half-measures to get us more burned the fake letter. After a meets with the approval of almost laughed at on the Continent than few minutes he was accosted by a everybody. Stewart and Vida must needs be. Hitherto, from spy who searched his person, but were also on the course, and they all we can see, the compulsion found nothing, of course. Had too gave much satisfaction. We has been no compulsion at all, for that letter been found he would append some of the times taken:every crank, every coward, every have received scant mercy. It is Nipper (Johnstone) I traitor and every incorrigible also alleged that these dishonest 0.38.0. 115.2.—2.22.2 loafer has been able to slide spies are in the habit of throwing Matabele, (Boyd); through some convenient loophole into the street purses containing 0.38.4, L13.4, L46.2. provided by a far-seeing and damaging letters and papers. Then they watch to see who picks 1420. up the purse and arrest him at once. The case is clear, for the 1.47.2, 2.22.3, 2.57.0, 3.29.1. A Distinguishing Mark Needed. unfortunate is taken with the goods on him. Another fine way 0.37.0, 1.10.0, 1.44.0, -, 3.23.0. As we have said a score of to get rid of an enemy is to send times, conscription is opposed to him an unsigned letter containing R. Wood at the Police Court to- British custom and habit of unlawful messages and then

Gambling Houses Again. Some time ago during the administration of Acting Civil Governor Lung, the gambling houses petitioned to be allowed to reopen for the purpose of playing cards and dominoes only-no fantan-and offering a bonus of \$400,000 a year for the privilege. This was granted by the Acting Governor and they planned to reopen at the Chinese New Year. But when this was brought to the attention of Governor Cheung he 3.0.2. speedily put an end to their hopes by announcing he would cancel the privilege unless the smount of the tax was to be very materially increased. At present the matter is at a standetill with the odds in favour of the houses remaining closed.

On the night of the 2nd inst., 17.1, 1.39.3. several burglars entered a house in Wo Ling Lane, off Tai Sun Street, by breaking down the door. They drew their pistols as scon as they gamed entrance and. after binding the women present. they carried away a small trunk If we are to believe the wires containing, it is reported, diafrom the Western and Eastern monds to the value of \$10,000. fronts, the general abortiveness But in the early morning of the derfully planned sallies, combined and two robbers were caught and 142.

Robbery in Tal Sun Street.

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TRAINING NOTES.

(From Our Own Correspondent.) Splendid Unlione This Morning.

With the arrival of the jookeys It is well-known that the spice | from the North, increased interest

Mascotte, 2 mile; 0.38.2, 1.10.0,

Pesce, 1½ mile; 0.38.0, 1.12.3, Pingwu Chief (Stewart) ly mile; Sandiway (Johnstone) 11 mile: 0.38.0.110.2,148.3,22L0,2.52.0. In Off, I mile, last 1; I.44.0. Freddie (Vids) 1 mile; 0.33.2,

Dunkeld, 1 mile; 0.38.0, 1.12.0, 42.3

Sandy (Johnstone), 12 mile; (Merry Andrew joined last 4): 0.36.3, 1.10.2, 1.44.1, 2.19.0

Lazarus, 1 mile: 2.16.2. Harry Hawke, i mile: 0.32.2,

Askill, 2 mile: 0.32.2, 1.3.2. Good Templar, 4 mile: 9.34.2, .8.2, L40.0. Matchless Dahlis, 14 mile: 0.383, 1.16.4, 1.53.0, 2.27.4.

Graylock, 1 mile: 0.33.2. 1.6.0 Little Jack Horner (Johnstone). mile; 0.37.2, 1.15.0, 1.49.1,

Cornwall Chief, Iz mile; 0.37.1. L13.0, 1.48.1, 2.23.0. 2.56.1. Shropshire Chief, 11 mile:

0.37.1, 1.13.0, 1.48.1, 2.23.0. China Coaster, 2 mile; 0.34.1

Forrester, 1 mile; 0.341, 1.71; Derby Chief, 1 mile; 0.361, 1.11.2 1.45.4. 2.17.0.

Venture, 2 mile; 0.36.2, L13.3 Greens Green, I mile Dick

omed in); 0.34.3, 111.0, 1.48.2, Benjimin.

Middlesex Chief.

Durbam Chief. 1 mile: 0.31.3.

HONGKONG TRAMWAY COMPANY LIMITED.

The following is the approximate statement of Traffic Receipts for the week ending February 12.

Receipts Aggregate for week. Receipts for 6 weeks This Year: ... \$13,016 \$73,226

Beginning to-morrow at 11 a.m. Mr. G. P. Lammert is selling by public section at Mesers F. Blackhead and Company's stores. s quantity of ship-chandlers. stores, etc.

TELEGRAMS.

U.S. PRESIDENCY.

PRESIDENT WILSON TO STAND.

(Bouter's Service To The "Telegraph."

London, Received February 15. pondent states that President there were also present:-The Wilson has formally consented to Hon. Mr. P. H. Holycak, Mr. R. again stand for the Presidency.

THE COTTON TRADE.

Japan Ousts America in China.

London, Received Feb. 15.

pondent at Washington, the Report of the Department of Commerce says that Japanese notice. manufacturers have captured the American cotton goods trade men, The annual report and with Ohins, owing to the better statement of secounts, with selling and distributing methods auditors' report attached, having of the Japanese and to the lower been in your hands for the usual prices of Japanese cottons. The period, I will, with your permitreport says that the only hope of sion, take them as read. I regret renewed business lies in improv- that the actual result of the year's ing the quality of American working is so poor, but it must goods sent to the Chinese market.

WITHOUT NOTICE.

A Chinese "Boy " Fined-

ploy without giving proper notice, coal, premium on insurance and a Chinese, who has been employ- extra cost in connection with the ed as "boy" to Mr. and Mrs. Piracy Prevention Ordinance in-Macfarlane, of the Hongkong Ice curred in 1914. Some slight re-Company, Laichikok, brought before Mr. J. R. Wood of the Canton Line during the this morning. ..

defendant simply left them with- the Port Regulations by out giving any notice. It responsible authorities. seemed that the reason for vessels have been put through it was that his wife was em- their annual surveys and general ployed to witness' wife as amah, overhauls and are all in good but after only a few days service working order for the ensuing the defendant said she wished to year. ant came and said "More better I Fluctuation Account a sum

were \$15 a month. That was why he left.

defendant any notice.

for his wages he was driven out review. of the house with a bamboo! broom.

His Worship imposed a fine of defendant's wages for January.

CHINESE EDITOR. CHARGED.

Another Case of Publishing Seditious Matter.

paper Yin Cheung. Wong Hon- advanced show a satisfictory mar- Mr. Hough, and seconded by Mr. tsun, was charged before Mr. J. gip of safety. R. Wood, at the Police Court. The rest of the accounts are so held up their hands. Those excite disorder in China.

by Mr. G. N. Orme, and defendant shall have much pleasure in the election of Messrs. A R. Lows was represented by Mr. J. H. answering any questions, after and C. Bornard Brown as auditors

Gardiner. It was agreed that the case has been should be adjourned until Taes- seconded. I now beg day afternoon, bail being allowed to propose that the report and The Chairman:—It is proposed PUNJABIS under Bandmaster, will be delivered from alongside in the sum of \$5,000.

Clift to Tokyo University.

COMPANY MEETING.

Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboat Co., Ltd.

(VERBATIM) The annual meeting of shareholders in the Hongkong, Canton and Macso Steamboat Company Limited, was held at the Office of the Company, Hotel Mansions at noon, to-day. The Hon. Mr. Reuter's Washington corres D. Landale presided, and Shewan, Mr. H. W. Looker, Mr. S. H. Dodwell, Sir Robert Ho-Tung, (Directors), Meesra, T. F. Hough, Ho Fook, K. D. Gazdar, M. S. Northcote, A. E. Griffin (shareholders), and W. E. Clarke. Secretary).

The Chairman said : - Gentlemen:—As it is past the hour for which this meeting has been called, and as there is a - quorum present I will sak the Secretary According to Reuter's corres to read the notice convening the meeting.

The Secretary having read the

The Chairman said: Gentlebe attributed to the effects of the war and conditions over which we have no control. The one cousoling feature to shareholders must be that, while the services have maintained a similar number of tripe as that of the previous year, there is a decrease in disbursements of \$77.000 odd Charged with leaving his em- due to decrease in cost of contract was lief was . Horded the joint-service lacter part of the year by the Mr. Macfarlane said that the removal of certain restrictions of

leave, as she did not understand Turning to the accounts, you the work. After the woman had will notice that we have passed been given her wages, the defend- from the credit of the Investment go too," and be then left Witness \$47,428 90 to Profit and Loss added that he had not paid the Account, leaving a balance redefendant his wages for January as presenting 20 per cent margin he was holding them back because on the market values of shares of this occurrence. The wages held in public companies. Also we have transferred from the Defendant said that on January Equalization of Dividend Fund 28 he was told that a new "boy" to Profit and Loss Account a sum was going to be employed, and of \$58,000, leaving a balance of that he could go on February I. \$160,000 to credit of that Fund. larbour. This action is, in the opinion of Mrs. Maciarlane gave evidence, your Board, warranted by the exsaying that she did not give ceptional adverse conditions under which the Company has had Defendant said when he asked to work during the year under the s.s. Daigi Mare without the Hamley Miss K

aidiary silver coinage \$90,816.42 \$10 and ordered the forfeiture of largest on record in our trading | 10.30 a m. and is a serious loss to the Com-

> Loans on mortgage have been their hands. Against? Carried reduced \$65,000 the amount unanimously. The next business Jelowitz MrJC of the advance on the godown is the re-election of directors. property at Praya East, which Mr. Hough:-I beg to propose we sold early in the the re-election of Mesers. R. year se reported in my speech sat Shewan and H. W. Looker. the last meeting.

The present properties have second that. been surveyed and valued by the Company's surveyors, Mesers election of Mesers R. Shewan, The editor of the Chinese news- Palmer and Turner, and the loans and H. W. Looker is proposed by

to-day, with publishing in his plainly set forth that I do not against? Carried unanimously. paper certain matter calculated to think they need further reference, The next business is the election but should any shareholder re- of suditors. The prosecution was conducted quire say further information, I Mr. He Fook :- I beg to propose the adoption of the report for the ensuing year.

proposed by myself, and seconded year at a remuneration of \$400 Beron Kitchzasmon Sumitomo, by Mr. Ho Fook that the report each. Those in favour please moted banker and mine owner and accounts as presented be signify by holding up their in Osaka, has given Y.21,000 to passed. The matter is now before hands. Those against? Carried The Tokyo Imperial University as the meeting for discussion. If no unanimously. This is all the fund for the encouragement of shareholders have any questions business gentlemen. Dividend Blake Fier each night for Kow- signed by the study ci the processes of to put I will put the resolution to warrante are now ready, and may loom after last dance modercing steel and other the meeting. Those in favour of be had on application. I thank

SHARE MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Up to the Mizute.

Unions. - \$9374. bayers. China Fires. - \$156, buyers. Douglases. -\$127 sollers.

Indo-Chinas (Combined).—\$185; buyers. Indo-Chinas (Preferred). -\$50, bayers. Star Ferrys.-\$382,

- powers. China Sugara. \$1333, buyers.

Kowloon Wharves -\$75, buyers. Kowloon Docks.—(Old) 595, sellers.

Kowloon Docks. - (New)

\$91. sellers. Humphreys Estates. \$6, bayers ex dev. Hongkong Ices. -\$180,

buyers. Tramways .- \$6.20, sellers. Langkats. - The 371.

buyers. Waterboate. - \$151; buyers ex div. Watsons. - \$64.

HARBOUR OFFENCES.

Obstructing Access to Harbour Office Wharf.

Before Commander C. W. Beckwith, R.N., at the Maxine Court Magnein Mr C this morning. Un Foo, coxswain McWalter Mr W on board the steam launch H.D. I, Ogs Mr J charged Chan Kan, cargo boatmistress, with unlawfully being found alongside the Harbour Office Wharf, not being engaged Ackland Mr R J in taking on board or landing Aller Mr.H. passengers or cargo, thus causing Allen Master W an obstruction to the free access Amardian Mrs of other vessels, on the 14th in t.

Defendant pleaded not guilty. Bonediet Mr CE Un Foo, in the witness box, Brown Mr & stated that he was trying to leave Brien Mr D H Liebert Miss M the Harbour Office Wharf stabout Branch Mr VS 11 a.m., on the 14th inst., but the Burbridge Mr & defendant's cargo boat obstruct- Buckner Mr & ed the course of his Isuach. The boat was coming from the stone Buckmer Mr R.C. steps, and defendant was told to Catlin Mr H get her rope in before, so as to Cheney Mr R S allow the H.D. 1 to back out, but Clash Rev C W she refused to do this, and gave Clarke Mr H J a lot of trouble, and delayed the Clough Mr & Miss

aunch's leaving. Defendant stated she did get Dennys Mr

out of the way. His Worship found defendant Du Eng Hos Mr guilty, and imposed a fine of \$5, Ely Mr. & Mrs. J.A. or, in default, 5 days' hard Farmer Mr& Mrs HSammons Mr&

Lance Sergeant W. Thompson Fopiano Miss Ruby Schwartz Mrs I charged Lam Yau, unemployed, Fopiano Mrs Mary Soong Shing Mr residing at First Street, with un- Gilbert Mrs lawfully being found on board Graham Mr CA permission of the master or Hannon Mrs E J The loss in exchange of sub-officer in charge on the 13th inst The case was remanded until Hayward Mr HS as shown in the accounts is the Wednesday the 23rd inst., at

Mr. Northcote:—I beg

The Chairman:—The re-Northcote. Those in favour please

proposed and Mr. Griffin:-I beg to second

Mr. Ho Fook: I beg to second Mr. Griffin, that Meesrs, A. R. The Chairman:—It has been elected auditors for the ensuing the resolution please hold up you for your stiendance.

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Per s.s. Mongara for London etc., on February 15.—
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Stevens Master D Sylvester Mrs E Timewell Mr E S Watson Capt A B Wiedmann Capt D Young Mr & Mrs I

Persia Tenyo Maru for San Francisco etc. on Feb. 15.-Kirschbaum Mr EM

Morrison Dr &

Mitchell MrJ A

Mrs W R

Mrs W G

Richter Mr.A.

Rees Mr & Mrs F D

Koan MrCL Kyle Mr D M Lane Mr or Mrs JE Lanching Mr E de Levering Mr & Mrs X X Lovy Mr N D Marsdon Mrs B McClymonds Dr T McCallengh Mr EC McIntoch Miss R

Morrow Mr & Mrs Casanovas Mr T Nothers Mr S Osborn Mrs E B Pardee Mr&MrsJH Davidson Mrs WS Parker Rev&

Peacock Mr F L Pinkham Miss H Playfair Mr H S Forderer Miss B

Hansler Capt O H Heise Mr A Hersch Dr. H Hoffmann Mr V Holormb Major &

Thorpe Miss F Tilden Mr H Trueblood Mr P M Waldran Mrs H Waterman Miss M.F Waterboure Drand Mrs E C Watson Mr E Waterhouse Miss G Woog Se Wai Mr Howe Mus B M Ito Mr Wong Shin Ki Wong Hung-packMr Wong MrSK Wyeth MrJH Johnson Mr C H Kauffmann Mr G A

TO-DAY'S ADVERTISMENTS.

RACE WEEK AT THE HONGKONG HOTEL

A CINDERELLA DANCE will be held on each of the following nights: open to RESIDENTS and DINERS in the HOTEL:— MONDAY,

21st February, 1916, TUESDAY. 22nd February, 1916. WEDNESDAY. 23rd February, 1916.

By kind permission of Lieutenant-Colonel L. A. Watson and Officers, the Band of the 74th accounts as presented be passed. by Mr. Ho Fook, and seconded by Christian will be in attendance. Room at \$2.50 per head.

> booked early and table plans can be seen on application at the Hotel Main Office. The Hotel Launch will leave

Manager.

NOTICE.

I have been requested by a large number of my friends to offer myself as a candidate at the forthcoming Sanitary Board Election.

I was born and educated in Hongkong, am a Bachelor in Surgery and Bachelor of Medicine of the University of Hongkong and have practised medicine in this Colony since 1912 During that time my work has taken me mainly among the middle and poorer classes, and I have thus had peculiar opportunities of realising the hygienic needs of those who live on the lower levels and in Kowloon, and of seeing wherein lies the need for sanitary

reform in the Colony as a whole. I have made—and am making -a close study of Hygiene, and not merely from a theoretical point of view; and I venture to claim that my idea and methods on all sanitation questions are practical and up to date. My work as Medical Officer to many large charitable institutions amongst which are the Blind Home at Kowloon and the St. Lewis Industrial School (West Point)-provides me with an ever-increasing stock of valuable

Should you see fit to elect me to the vacancy created by the departure of Dr. Fitzwilliams, I readily pledge myself to follow the excellent lines laid down by that gentleman-especially in regard to the water-carriage and other important

matters. I am an advocate for efficiency combined with strict economy and, if elected, I undertake to keep always in mind the general all-round welfare of the ratepayers and other inhabitants of

Hongkong. I have the honour to remain, Gentiemen.

Your obedient servant; F. M. GRACA OZOBIO, M.B., B.S. Hongkong, 15th February 1916.

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE TWENTY-NINTH OR-DINARY ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the OFFICES of Mesers. Jardine. Matheson & Co., Ltd., on THURSDAY, the 2nd March. 1916, at 11.30 a m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 21st February to 2nd March BOTH DAYS INCLUSIVE. " By Order of the Board of W. S. Brown,

Secretary, Hongkong. 15th February, 1916.

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Shanghai, -- Capt Higo FTUES., 7th §Tamba Maru T. 12,500 (Mar., at noon. and | Capt Nagasuye Yokohama SYDNEY & MEL-TUES, 15th BOURNE. Tia SAki Maru Thurs- { Capt. Yoshikawa T. 13,500 (Feb., at 4 p.m. Manila, LTUES, 14th Island, 1 STango Maru day . T. 13,500 [Mar., at 4 p.m. and Capt. Soyeda Townsville

Tis) TUESDAY, Penang | Jinsen Maru T. 8,000 [15th Feb. & Rangoon Capt. Ohta BOMBAY via Singa-) pore, Malaoca and > Kirin Mare ISUNDAY, T. 8,000 20th Feb. Colombo. ____ Capt. Sasaki THURSDAY, SHANGHAL Mont Penang Maru T. 8,000 (24th Feb. Capt Kushibiki TUESDAY, SHANGHAI Kobel Kaga Maru T. 12,500 (15th Feb. Capt Tanda and Yokohama

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N. Y. K. Rates It has already been reported, says the Japan Advertiser, that the N.Y.K. has decided to raise the freight rates for free European liners. As to the freight for the contract liners, the company has for some time been negotisting unofficially with the authorities as to the increase. It is now reported that the company and the authorities have arrived at a definite understanding as to the scale of increase for the N.Y.K. European contract-liners as well per cent, and the N.Y.K. OSK, and the TKK jointly sent in formal petitions on Jannary 18 for permits to increase rates. As to the increase for the N.Y.K.'s European contract liners, the company sent in a formal petition on January 2, for a permit to merease the freight rates from 10 to 30 per cent seconding to the class of cargo. The N.Y.K. at the same time applied for permission to increase the European passenger fares by 60 yen for the saloon and 30 yen for the second class in view of the increase of cost of rations owing to the shipe taking the Cape route. The authorities granted the permit in view of the present scarcity of ships and the higher rate imposed. by foreign vessels, and in view of the fact that the shippers held no objection to the increase. The present rate are considered too low in comparison with foreign vessels. The following are examples of the differences of rate on the run to Europe.

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18th Feb. at d'light be maintained by placing 19th Feb. at 8 a.m. other vessels on the run has for some time been under consideration by the authorities of the company but it has now been 25th Feb. at d'light decided that the Company will Sat., 2.th Feb. at 3 p.m. notre-cpen the European business in view of the fact that the Panama Canal is still uppessable and that the Mediterranean is dangerous But the continuation of the service by sclopting the South African route would result in no substantial profit to the company, especially because the demand for ships is very brisk if other directions. As to the tw damaged ships, the Maley Mar and the Indo Marn, they will after repairs be put on the Bot bay or the Australian service!

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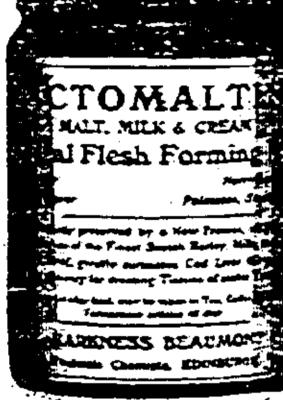
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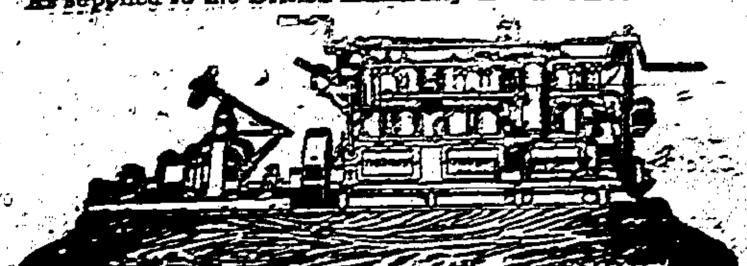
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Acting Agent: Hongkong, 9th February, 1916,

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	D. S. & Co.	Foltala		Feb. 16	Calcutta
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=	N.Y.K.	Tamba Maru	12.500	Feb. 27	Seattle
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Ynensang, Br. s.s. 1,735, W. M. Mesney, lst Feb.-Manila, 29th Jan. Cen _J. M. & Co. Kaifong, Bras. 987, J. B. Evans, 20d Feb. -Haiphong 30th Jan Gen-Singaporean, Br. as. Saunderson, 4th Feb. - Seigon, 28th January, Bice

6th Feb.—Saigon, 2nd Feb. Bice & Mexl-Chinese, inst. Samme, 3rd inst. Bice-Loongeang Br. s.s. 1,959, Leash, 8th inst.

-Manila, 5th inst. Gen. J. M. Hiroshima Maru, Jap. s.s. M. Deguchi, 9th which date they cannot be recog-Feb.-Mororau, Coal-N.Y.K. Tonyo Maru, Jap. a.s. 6,283, S. Toro, 9th Feb -- Manita, Gen -- T.K.K. Monteagle, Br. s.s. 3,953, A. J. Haney 10th Feb.—Shanghar, 7th Feb. Gen.—

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11th Fah.-Manile, 8th Feb., Gen. Haming, Br. s.s. 1,267, W. C. Passemore. 10th Feb. Gen.—D. L. & Co. Hongiong, Fr. as., 739, A. Marquerite. 12th Feli-Halphong, 10th Feb.

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No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remain-Kansas, Br. as. 3,941, R. Lanklater, 10th ing undelivered after the 16th inst. will be subject to rent.

Consignees of cargo are hereby notified that they must produce an Import permit signed by the Superintendent of Imports, and Exports, Hongkong, before Bills of Lading can be countersigned. No Bire Insurance has been

effected. Bills of Lading will be counter signed by

SHEWAN TOMES & GO. General Agenta. Hongkong, 9th February, 1914

Region's Service to the "Telegraph."]

THE BLOCKADE OF GERMANY

HAS IT FAILED?

February 14.12.15 p.m. According to the Daily Mail, the Commissioner for Holland asserts that British efforts to prevent commodities from entering Germany have failed. He cites the case of butter, of which Great Britain obtained 2,456 tons in 1915, compared with 7,940 tons 1913, while Germany obtained 35,515 tons, compared with 19,023

GERMAN TROOPS FOR TURKEY.

BIG MOVEMENT OF MEN-

February 12, 12.15 p.m.

The Times correspondent at Buch arest states that 25,000 German troops have arrived at Rustchuk and have proceeded to Shumla, Hongkong agent for its Hoff's with Dr. Sun in Tokyo and, havprobably en route to Turkey.

THE CANADIAN OUTRAGES.

AN ASSURANCE FROM AMERICAL

February 14, 12.15 p.m. According to Reuter's correspondent at Ottawa, replying in the House of Commons to a demand that preciations should be taken on the frontier in view of the revelations made in the San Francisco German dynamite plots, the Minister of Marine said that every precaution was being taken. The Government had received an assurance that the Washington Government would not permit the United States to be made a base for attacks on Canada.

THE "AMIRAL CHARNER."

LOSS OF FRENCH AUXILIARY CRUISER CONFIRMED.

February 14, 5.30 p.m.

Renter's correspondent at Paris states that the loss of the French suriliary cruiser Amiral Charner is confirmed. A raft has been pick. Mr. Albert A. Lewis of the Levis. Hall last evening to a large ed up off the coast of Syria, with fifteen seamen on it. Only one Zakoski Mercantile Co., of Room attendance of members. The was alive. He stated that the cruiser was torpeded on the 8th inst. 728, 621 Broadway, New York chair was occupied by Bishop POLICE RESERVE ORDERS. and sank in a few minutes. They were unable to launch their boats.

ANOTHER OUTRAGE IN AMERICA.

FIRE IN MUNITIONS WORKS.

February 14, 7.20 p.m. Reuter's correspondent at New York states that the great munitions plant of the General Electric Company at Schenectady, New York, has been wrecked by fire. The origin is not at present known.

DAMAGE NOT, SERIOUS,

February 14; 11.10 p.m. Renter's correspondent at New York states that only a small building was burned at Schenectady.

AIR-RAID ON MILAN.

February 14, 11.10 p.m. Renter's correspondent at Milan states that eight people were killed and sixty injured in the raid by enemy aeroplanes.

RUSSIAN PROGRESS.

ERZERUM FORT CAPTURED.

February 14, 11.10 p.m. A Petrograd communique says:—We captured the Erzerum fort, in which an explosion has already been reported, taking many risoners, six guns and quantities of munitions.

THE FIGHTING

FURIOUS BATTLE IN ALSACE.

February 14, 6.00 p.m. A Paris communque states: - In Champagne, during the course of a German strack to the east of Tahure-Sommeny road, we exploded three mines under the enemy in our = - ced elements. His stiempts to savance on our support trenches completely failed, but, notwithstanding the serious German losses by mines and artillery, the Germans remained in the advanced elements.

In a furious artillery battle in Alsace, the German infantry took 200 yards of trenches, but an immediate counter-attack regained most of the ground.

TRADE ENQUIRY LIST.

Trade Inquiry List No. 53 issued by the American Consulate General, Hongkong, shows that Hougkong merchants are invited to correspond with American concerns seeking Hongkong connections as listed below :-

and invites correspondence.

Concentrated seek an Hongkong agent.

Mendelson Company of 90 West a few days later. Street, New York City, desire an Report has it that he conferred Malt Extract and invites corresting settled what remained of a pondence.

wood Lumber Company of Na in disguise for Yunnan. regular shipments of rattan and as a big fillip to the anti-Yuan invites quotations. Details as to movement, for his hostility to the sizes and requirements can be Presidentis, of course, wellknown.

pany of No. 17 Battery Place, Jears, Governor of that Province. New York Cir, seeks an Hongkong agent for the introduction of its line of perfames, toilet scaps and toilet waters and cimilar

goods and invites correspondence. Cold, Massage and Peroxide Creams.—The General Products Company of 390 Audubon Avenue, New York City, seeks Hongkong representation for the introduction of its line of cold creams, massage creams and peroxide creams, parti-

to act as resident buyer for retail dry goods houses and invites correspondence.

Morgan Manufacturing Company, of Newport, Rhode Island, seeks the causes of the war, he said that an Hongkong agent for its line of automobile specialties including small parts, pump appliances. small tools and fittings and brass and metal polishes.

Pipe Wrenches -- The Cochrane Pipe Wrench Manufacturing Company of 78th Street and Woodlawn Avenue, Chicago, that which brought about wars. Dinois, offers its line of pipe Those were not Christian princiwrenches and similar tools and ples, and it could not be said that drop forging, die sinking and the war showed the failure of similar work to the Hongkong Christianity. In the course market.

of Pratt and Gay Streets, Balti- the war, dealing with the matter more, Maryland, are in the market in a most; lucid manner. for rice and desire Hongkong connections.

Peanuts. - Messrs. Habicht. Braun and Company of No. 109-III West Ohio Street, Chicago, Illinois, are in the market for Lieut Col. A. Chapman, V.D., high grade peanuts, especially so state:called rescreened peanuts, in qualities running 30 to 31 to the ounce and from 25 to 28 to the Corps on 15.2.16, is allotted Lammert, Sergeants

Essential oils, etc.-Mesers. Talbot and Company of No. 24-26 Stone Street, New York City, leave of absence from 22:316 to are in the market for wood oil 22.10.15. and other essential oils, gum copal, and Indigo paste. They

invite quotations and samples. Vehicle wood stock and parts.-Crane and MacMahon, Inc., of information of all concerned. No. 8-10 Bridge Street, New York City; offer their line of vehicle wood stock vehicle parts and invite correspondence.

Electrical goods and general export.—Snow's U. S. Express Company, Limited, of No. 17 practice at Headquarters. Battery Place, New York City, 5.15 p.m. Recruits of Engineer seeks an Hongkong agent for its Co.—Musketry and Rifle exercises line of electrical goods and also at Taikoo Dockyard, under Sergt. left for Australia to-day. connections in the general import Everest. and export business.

Match making wood and ma chinery.—The American Splint Corporation of No. 141 Broadway. New York City, seeks instruction at Headquarters. Hongkong connections for the sale of match wood in any form and for the introduction of modern match making machinery. instant H.K.V.R.

THE SITUATION IN CHINA.

Ex-Viceroy Shum in Yunnan?

Though we have no further Cochiness.—The W. K. Jahn telegraphic news of the Chinese Company, Inc., of No. 130 North rebellion since our Reuter wire of before Mr. Hazeland, charged Franklin Street, Chicago, Illinois, Saturday, there is a popular belief with being concerned together in is in the market for cochineal in the Colony that the success of stealing a quantity of money, the revolution party continues Flavours.— and, further, that Tsen Chun- boat in Yaumati Bay of the total afternoon, bafore Mr. Justice Messre. Fries and Fries of No. haun, better known in Hong- value of \$90.50. Mr. E. M. Tozor Gompertz, a shop coolie named 191-193 W. Third Street, Cincin- kong as Ex-Vicercy Shum, has represented the second defendant. Tong Lin sued a merchant, of 96, nati, Ohio, offer a line of concen- contrived to reach Yunnan and if Detective Sergeant Wills, who Jervois Street, for the return trated flavouring materials for the an important factor in the situa- prosecuted, said that on January of \$150, the amount due use of bakers, confectioners, and tion there. After his flight from 25 the third defendant went from in respect of an arrangement serated water manufacturers and Canton in August, 1913, it will be Causeway Bay in his mother's boat made on December 14 last, or, in remembered that the Hongkong to Mongkok to arrange about the the alternative, for money lent, staying there. While he was in Export and Import. The Government refused to allow building of another boat. When He also sued the Teneng Youn Smythfield Export Company of him to remain in the Colony, and he got to the building yard he firm, and Cheung Yuing Sang for 1216-20 Arch Street, Philadelphia, that he went into Dutch met another man who invited him \$500 paid by the plaintiff Penns., desires to establish con- territory. It is now under- to have a meal with him. He respect of a certificate for entry nections in Hongkong in the stood that Teen Chun-hauan had the meal and, being joined into America, which defendants general export and import line returned to Panang somewhere by other men, they stayed con-underteck to provide.

former dispute with the doctor, Rattan.—The Philippine Hard- he returned to China and set out

had at the Consulate General In Yunnan he may be said to Perfumes, Toile: Spape. Etc. have a sort of hereditary popul-The California Perfume Com- srity, for his father was, for many

WAR LECTURE.

How the Struggle is Viewed by Catholics.

In connection with the St. cularly seeking connection with Joseph's College Association, the firms now dealing in such goods. Rev. Father Tompkins, S. J., Resident Dry Goods Buyer __ delivered a lecture in the College

Father Tompkins had, as his subject "The European War from the Catholic Point of View." and Automobile Specialties -The he reviewed the whole subject in an interesting manner. Dealing with it was not brought about by the failure of Christianity, as some people seemed to think, but was due to the failure to comply with those principles laid down by the Christian creed. When people gave way to the love of power and money, and became greedy, it was his remarks, he commented on Rice.—Messrs. Berndt and Co., and explained the Pope's view of

VOLUNTEER ORDERS.

Corps Orders issued to-day by sharp.

Joined. Private H. B. Arnold joined the Also Sergeant Gibson, Inspector Left Section M.G. Co.

Leave. Corpl. D. Young is granted

Engineer Company: "Lyceman Reliefs" from 15th to 29th inst. is posted on the notice board at Headquarters for

Parades. Parades for Wednesday, 16th

7.00 a.m. Members of Signalling Section and other Signallers, as detailed in Signalling Section Order dated 8. 12. 15. Semaphore

5.15 p.m. Civil Service Co.-

Drill at Headquarters. 6.00 p.m. No. I Section Scoats Co. (all members) Machine Gun Remainder nil.

Detail. On duty until morning of 18th

THEFT FROM A BOAT.

Boy Defendant Turns King's Evidence.

Four Chinese stood in the dock this afternoon at the Police Court, jewellery and clothing from a

and offers exceptional facilities about Christmas time and, scon versing, with the result that he and support for its undertakings, after, left for Shanghai, arriving was still there at 9 o'clock at Malt extract.—The Eisner- there on January 23 and in Kobs night. The first defendant then by Mr. P. W. Goldring, and Mr. get some thing from an unoc- the defendants. cupied boat in Yaumati Bay, and, getting into a small boat, they did with the other persons—probably the 2nd and 4th defendants—go to the boat and take the articles. 718 Story Building, Los Angeles, If the story is true, the Ex- Just as they were leaving the boat California, is in the market for Viceroy's arrival may be regarded the complainant, a woman, was returning in her small boat, and, on seeing the men leaving, called out to them. She could not catch them and on getting back to the boat' found that she had been robbed of practically everything.

> charge against him to be withdrawn. Some of the articles had for him to do so, and it is impos-His Worship discharged the

third defendant. Evidence was then taken. The case is proceeding.

Orders issued to-day by Mr. F.C. Jenkin, D.S.P. (Reserve) state :--

Route March. All ranks, except medical exempts, will parade at Central Station at 2.45 pm. sharp on Saturday, February 19th., for Route March through Western Police District. Uniform, Helmets and Riffes.

N. C. Officers. N. C. Officers will meet at the Magietracy on Thursday, Februsry 17th., at 5.30 p.m. Musketry Part IL

Firing will take place on Sanday, February 20th, as follows:-(a) Leave Blake Pier 9.00 s.m. sharp :- 3rd. and 4th. Platoons of No. 2 Company, also N.C.O's. of same Company who have not fired Part IL All N.C.O's of No. 2 Company will attend for Range Duties.

(b) Leave Blake Pier 1.0 p.m.

1st. and 2nd. Platoons No. 2 Company. 2nd. Platcon No. 1 Company.

onnce. They invite samples and Corps No. 1978 and is posted to Hewitt, Fothergill, Butterfield and Wilks will attend for Range to Major Arthur Haggard, to-Duties.

Tramways. The attention of all ranks, and particularly of Inspectors and Sergeants, is drawn to the fact very generously that the Police are expected to pay regard to, rather than violate, the Tramway Bye-laws. Reports have been received of over-crowding when coming off Parade.

The Rev T. W. Pearce.

The Rev. T. W. Pearce was a passenger by the Aki Maru, which

To a Correspondent.

newspaper.

SHOP COOLIES APPOINTMENT.

A Bar:

In the Summary Court this:

The plaintiff was represented saked him to go with him and C.F. Mason appeared on behalf of

In opening the case, Mr. Goldring said that there had been a erecial defence which had been filed for some time, to the effect that the whole thing was illegal. The case hinged on the fact of plaintiff securing a position of America.

and he had apparently been drag- or fake?

turning King's evidence and he ed if he could get a certificate so (Sergt. Wills) would ask for the that he could go into America. Mr. Mason:—It is impossible

been recovered from the pawn- sible for him to get a certificate. His Lordship: -The whole point is whether it was simply illegality, or whether it was compact constituting a fraud on

the American Government was adjourned.

VETERANS' FUND. THE

Mrs. Looker informs us that in the last list of subscriptions seknowledged, Mrs. Parr's name, Eallister Miss which appeared in the first list, Estchelor Mr& Mrs Ohtani Mrand Mrs was again inadvertently inserted. The total amount acknowledged Fong Sue Tak Mr Preston Mrs. should have been \$747 and £2.28.

The following further subscriptions have been received :-Amount acknowledged Mr. and Mrs. Bonnar Mr. Melbourne The Hon. Mr. E., H. Sharp The Hon. Mr. C. Severn Mrs. Besvis A Bridge Winning Additional from Mr. Mrs. Lowe

and a cheque for £2. 2s. A draft for £80. 15. 11d, the equivalent of \$832 st exchange 1/11 5/16, less 20 cents stamp, and a cheque for \$2.2s., has been sent gether with a list of the names of

the subscribers. Mrs. Looker wishes to thank very much all those who have subscribed to

The Cricket Club Accident.

The many friends of Mr Richard Hancock and Mr. C. A Hooper, the two players of the Hongkong Cricket Club who met with such a nasty accident whilst playing on Saturday, will be pleased to learn that they are both going on as well as can be expected. Enquiries made to-day show that Mr. Hancock, although pro-Devonian."-We refrain from gressing well, will not be out publishing your letter as we are of for several days, and that Mr. opinion that no good purpose is Hooper, who was very badly cut served by encouraging religious about the isce, is much better. continuerance in the columns of a Dr. Stedman, who is attending him, reports good progress.

PROSECUII N OF LUXONG FAILS

A Chinese lukning was charged before Mr. J. B. Wood at the Police Court this afternoon with American Immigrant Restrictions the larceny of a bed quilt. He was also charged on two counts with misconduct.

Defendant was represented by Mr. E. J. Grist

It was stated by a ricksha coolie that when he returned to his house on the night of Februsry 2, he saw the defendant carrying away his quilt.

Detendant's story was that bewent into the house because he was told that a man who had been the house, he was seized and

accused of stealing the quilt. It was stated that the misconduct consisted of entering the house without a warrant, but His Worship said that he did not intend to take any notice of those charges. Defendant had had seven years' service in the force. Accused was discharged.

H. K. C. C. TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

The annual tennis tournament manager of a big house in San of the Hongkong Cricket Club Francisco, and he wanted to get a has been fixed to commence on certificate of immigration into March 1 entries for which closs on February 26. So for entries are After further facts had been coming in fairly well and the She reported the matter to the offered by Mr. Goldring, His tournament promises to be police, with the result that the Lordship asked if the power of every but as successful as defendants were arrested. The attorney was bogus, or how was those of previous years. A new third defendant was only a boy he to know whether it was bogus feature this year is a Veterans' Handiesp Doubles, which ged into the affair. He would be Mr. Goldring:—He simply ask is to be open for members of the Club who are over forty years and who have resided in the East for ten years. All the other usual events are being held.

> The Royal Mint. The summary of the operations of the Royal Mint during the last three years, shows that 203,572,-Afteriartherargument, the case 642 pieces were struck for the United Kingdom and 3,060,000 for the Colonies in 1915, compared with 188,445,180 and 25,417,000

DEPARTED.

respectively in 1914.

Per as Ali Marn-from Hongkong Feb. 15th-Ledesman Mr

Adams Mr E D Ledesman 1 Alsjandro Mr V M Lomas Mr Allen Mrs Baldwin Mr G F Lowderback Mr.G.D Miyezaki Mr H Morita Mr.K Pestce Rev T W Preston Miss Hewitson Rev Sakursi Mr F Higgirbotham Mr Sandys Mr and Mrs and Mrs

Strong Rev & Mrs Hong Kee Mr Tobin Mr R.J Hoshino Mrs H Toda S 25 James Bro Torakins Father Kojma Mr M Yebest Mrs S

WEATHER REPORT.

On the 15th at 10.46—A general de-crease of pressure is shown over the western portion of the map, except over Borneo where it has increased slightly-No returns from Japanese stations.

The anticyclone has weskened, and a depression has formed over Tongking. Moderate to fresh easterly and southeasterly winds may be expected over the western portion of the China Sea.

Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inches. FORECAST FOR THE 24 HOURS ENDING AT NOON TO-MORROW.

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South coast of China be-7 The same

T. F. CLAXTON, Director. Hongkong Observatory, February 15.

LATEST SHIPPING NEWS.

MOVEMENT OF STEAMERS The P. & O. as. NANKIN left Sings. pore for this Port on the 15th instant a.m. with the outward English Mais and is doe here on the 20th inst. at about 4 p.m.

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and meals with Wines & Tiquoze

THE ROSERVE TELEGRAPH TURNDAY, FREEDAM IS, 1916. BANKS. SHARE REPORT. COMMERCIAL LI-ONGEONG & SHANGELI BANK OF CANTON BANKING -CORPORA-THE TAKED Paid-up Capital \$15,000,000 RESERVE FUNDS HEAD OFFICE HONGKONG Industrial Expansion in Holland. Stering £1,500,000 at 25--\$15,000,000 Owing to large war profits there 811ver __\$18,000,000 1915. 1915. has been an abundance of invest-FOREIGN EXCHANGE and ast Dividence To-day's ment money in Holland, resulting Highest Lowest General Banking Business Trans-\$33,000,000 in a remarkable industrial expan-Value and Date Reserve Liability of 14th May, 14th May. men. Dutch government has CURRENT ACCOUNTS open-_\$15,000.00 O Proprietors Prices decided to work the oil fields of ed and FIXED DEPOSITS Re-COURT OF DIRECTORS. Sumstra which have not been Bon. Mr. D. Landain, - hairmen. W. L. Paternden, Kon, - Dupert y Charman lessed to the Boyal Dutch interests INTEREST ON FIXED Benis. £2/3/- at 1/9 5/16 equal as reported. The 5% bond issue C. S. Gubber Beg. Bon. Yr. P. H. Holyonk DEPOSITS: \$24.21 for 14 year 30/6/15 of one of the Royal Dutch shell H.K. & Shai Banking Corp. A. Phomes. Rec. Too Xr. E Shellim subsidiaries already selling at 2% For 3 Months 3% per amum CHIEF KANAGER Hongtong-M. J. Stable Inc. premium. Companies which for-Final of \$4 a/c 1913. Interim Shenghai - A. G. Shenben, Ext. London Bunkers - London County and merly did financing in London Marine Insurances. of \$18 a/c 1914 10,000 \$350 Dec For 6 Months 4% per annum! Canton Ins. Office, Ld..... are taking advantage of Westminster, Limited. Final of 12 p.o. making 10,000 £15 £5 favorable Dutch money market. North China Ins. Co., Ld.... 25 p.c. for 1914 For I2 Months 42% per annum On Current Account at the rate of 2 per cent annua on the daily balance. ON FILED DEPOSITS. For 3 months, 24 per cent, per annua. For 6 months, 4 per cent, per annua. For 5 months, 4 per cent, per annua. Final of \$20 and bonus of \$5 LOOK POON SHAN, making \$55 for 1913 and 12,400 \$250 100 847 April Union Ing. S'ty of C'ton, Ld. Interim of \$30 for 1914 Copper in U.S. Chief Manager. Final of \$15 mar \$18 for 1913 42,000 \$100 60 April N. J. STABB. & Int. of \$3 for 1914 Yangtere Ins. Assoc. Ld.... Twenty-three cents a pound is Chief Manager the newly established price level NOTICES Fire Insurances, \$9 for 1913-20,000 \$100 . 20 July of the large producers for copper h China Fire Ins. Co., Ld. HONGKONG SAVINGS BANT \$27 for 1913: • · 8,000 \$250 50 metal, says a recent American H'kong Fire Ins. Co. Ld. paper. With the first quarter of PROVIDENT the year practically stripped bare, Shipping. AND MORTGAGE TES Iminess of the above Bank is conducted by the HUNGKONG AND NHANGBAI BANKING LOAN and with consumers still clamour- $$4\frac{1}{2}$$ for year ending 30.6.15 Mar. Douglas Steamship Co., Ld. ing for prompt deliveries, the Final of 40 cts, making 90 cts. CO. LID. Rules may be obtained on application: INTEREST on deposits as allowed on the minimum monthly balances at \$35 per cent, per amnim. Deposition may transfer, at their option, balances of \$200 or more to the Homekung and Shanghai Bank to be piaced on FIXXD DEPOSIT at 4 per . 80,000 \$15 all 291/4 ..Jan_ for year ending 31,12.14 Erong, C.&M.S.S. Co., Ld. trend of prices is distinctly Spaces pad 3pa ond a for year upward. Late last week March 1914 a quoted ex 9 p.c. divin H.K. Indo-China (Combined 60,000 delivery brought between 223 from 29.9.15. an interim div. of 6 p.c. (Capital Paid up...\$1,250,000.) Steam Naviga- Deferred on the combined a paid in London and 23 cents. One of the leading For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation Co., Ld.... (Preferred 23,9.75 quoted ex div. in H.K. 1.12.15 Loans on Mortgage of House Property, &c. Goods received on Storage. Advances made on Merchandise. producers scraped together some Interim of 2/-(Coupon No 25) N. J. STABB. 2,000 tons for February, which 106/- Feb. Shell T port & Ting Co., Ld. 3,797,610 £1 making 7/- for 1915 cams made on the Provident System Chief Manage r. (Rates and Particulars on application). The Office of TRUSTEE, EXER UTOR OF WILLS, ATTORNEY, &c., Undertaken and Executed. was promptly sold to Connecticut (\$1.50 per share and bonus of 40 cents per share for year Valley consumers at more than Mar. THE MERCANTILE BANK OF 23 cents, 30 days. The French b 40,000 \$10 Star Ferry Company, Ld.... ending 30 4 15 SHEWAN, TOMES & Co., INDIA, LIMITED government is inquiring in this General Managers. market for some 2,000 tons of *\$3 for 1912 Refineries. Head Office 15, Gracechurch 20,000 \$100 all China S. Refining Co., Ld. spot copper, with no prospect of \$3 for 1897 Street, London. NOTICE 7,000 \$100 all Luzon S. Refining Co., Ld.... getting it. Sellers have nothing DEAK TRAMWAY CO. Authorised Capital. £1.500.0CA to offer for January, even if Subscribed LIMITED freight room to Havre were avail-562,500 Paid Up TIME TABLE .{Interim of 1/- account year Mining. Kailan Mining Admin tion 1,000,000 £1 all able for this month. France has Reserve Fund ending 30.6.15(Coupon No. 5.) WEER DAYS. not as yet adopted the centralized Ranh Australian Gold Min-816 1/2 for 1909 BANKERS: 1.90 Nov. all 3.10 Jan. 200,000 £1 eystem of buying, which, in Enging Co., Ld..... The Bank of England, The London Joint Stock Rank, Limited. 25/-b.1/- interim a/c 1915 paid 12.7.15 19/6 Nov-CALL DOLLY TO HELE YOUR 160,000 £1 Tronoh Mines Ltd. land, resulted in the placing of TLICANA TO THE PART 37/6 Il-interim 1915 BRANCHES:-796,665 £1 1945 7.Mt 10 2.15 7.74 the recent order for 60,000 tonk. Caspians 2-45 P-101 Kota Bharu 2-25 P-MI Kusla Lumpur The French government, however, Madras Docks, Wharves and has been a heavy buyer of copper Penang Rangoon MIGRY CARS. Codewils &c. Hongkong -\$3.50 for year 1914 a han and a han han han a Over recent months, and exports > bangbai 60,000 \$50... Nov. Frong&K.W.&G.Co., Ld. THE NAME OF THE POST POST Singapore. to that country have been larger b. \$3 dividend for year 1914 15,00 ?.ML to 13.45 ? M. Oct **50,000 \$50** s.exr.oldb.\$95 H.K. & W.D. Co. Ld..... FONGKONG BRANCH for many weeks than to any other 637 49 ex div. Tis. 3 for year ending 30.4.15 Every description of Banking and Erchange 20-30 AM. EVERY 25 Min. European country. As the muni-55,700 ±100 all July Shai Dock & Eng. Co.,Ld.... Interest allowed on Current Accounts at a per cent, per annum on Delly Balances, and on Fixed Deposits. Tis. 5 for 1914 80 . 8214 THE AND THE OF MACHINE 36,000 t.100 all Shai & Hkew W. Co., Ld. tion factories of France, England, b DAGO NOOF to 2400 Para as it rates which may be assertained on application... Russia and Italy grow better C. CHAMPKIN, Lands, Hotels and Buildings. Tls. 61/2 for year ending 29.2.14 able to turn out a huge supply Acting Manager. 13,000 t.100 t.100 Anglo French Lands of ammanition, the demand for (\$2.50 for half year ending EDGET CARS as On West Dept-20,CC0 \$50 July b.exdiv.\$1123 H'kong Hotel Co., Ld----31.12.15 American copper continues to in-SATURDAYS \$33 for 1 year ending 31.12.15 THE CHARTERED BANK OF cresse. Raw materials, such as Nov. 111 xdiv. 50,000 \$100 all 11716 July H kong Land Investment Co. 35 cents for year 1915 INDIA. AUSTRALIA AND BPECIAL CARS copper and steel, are now becom-Nov. Alexander Sellcher, Du. Voors Root, Central. 150,000 \$10 Jan. Ephreys Estate & F. Co.Ld. \$3 for 1914 CHINA. Feb. 40 ing as important to the Allies as Jan K'loon Land & B'ing Co., Ld. 6,4 CO \$50 Dividend of 6 p.c. for 🛊 year the finished shells which are "Sesson and punch "ticlets available for all canending 30.6.15 not siready full, running at the time stated in the Company's me tables, because for special cars can incorporated by Royal Charter 1353. 78,000 **£50** Dec. Shanghai Lands being shipped from this country. \$2.25 for half year ending 31.12.15 he obtained on application at the Company's Office. No Season ticket will be asseed until perment there for has been made in Bank Notes or by Charmen Another jump of £2 carried Lonfead office:—London. 12,200 \$50 West Point Building Co., Ld. June \$7.00 for year ending 31.12.15 10,000 \$100 all H'kong Central Estates..... don electrolytic up to £110. Spot b Compressions order representing Bank South copper in London was up 12s. 6d. Cotton Mills FOREIGN EXCHANGE and General Banking and futures up 10s. .Tls. 16 for year ending 31 10 15 20,000 £50 Ewo Cotton S. & W. Co., Ld. CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and FIXED Tls. 1.50 for year ending 30 11 15 Jan. 75,Cf 0 £10 DEPOSITS received for I year or shorter periods, at rates which will be quoted on application . When Kung Yik Tls. 12 for 1913 May Laon Kung Mow 8,000 t.100 all Dividend of Tis. 71 for year WILL DICKSON, 105 Nov. 40,000 t.50 hanghai Cottons..... Kobe Banksending 30 6 15 Manager. Hongkong, 11th April, 1912. 175.000 t.5 Yangtszepoos MITSUBISHI COSHI The Japan Chronicle, of Janu-Miscellaneous. 85 cents for 1914 ary 28 reports summaries of the Dec. Thina Borneo Company, Ld. 60,000 \$72 financial statements for three b INTERNATIONAL BANKING KWAISHA. hine Light & Power Co., 6% for year ending 28 .2.06 Kobe banks, as follows: Sumi-CORPORATION 50,000 \$5 4_90 July tomo Bank. Ld .: With a paid-up 50,000 \$1 (Spec. shares) (MITSUBISHI CO.) 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BORNEO Co. 6. Des Vœux Road Central. Tel. address, Rectitude. Share and General Brokers WRICHT & HORNBY. LTD. GLAEGOW—Messra A.R. mentand other bonds. Net profits BROWN, MCFARLANE & Co., LTD. amounted to Y.321,175, of which THE For Particulars, apply to-CORRECTED TO ROOM, FEB. 15 1918. VOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK. Y 50,000 was turned over to the REY SUBSCOUZET ALTERATIONS WILL BE FOUND IN "UP TO THE MINUTE SHARE MARKET NEWS." K. KATO. LIMITED. THE TELEGRAPH DOES NOT HOLD ITSELF RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY OF THE ABOVE QUOTATIONS. Company's general account, as Manager. profit for the half-year, the rest Established 1880. No. 2, Pedder Street, Hongkong. being added to the large sc-Anthorised Capital Yen 48,000,000 EXCHANGE. cumulation forming the Bank's Paid-up Capital 30,000,000 Feb. 15th. Beserve Fund 20,000,000 working capital. Mitsui Bank, Id Bank, with a Head Office.—YOKOHAMA. FREE TO ALL SUFFERERS Bovereign ----- \$10.25 Demand Germany... capital of Y20,000,000 and de-T/T MarksNom. 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NOTICES.

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Before the beginning of the chandler's Stores, etc., etc. pottery period ("Sing") China produced a kind of earthenware of which that from Yamchow was the most celebrated. From this was developed the porcelain which the first Dutch sailing ships took home from Canton and which led to the manufacture of Delft warein Europe. -

all these centuries the same as enamel, rubber sheeting and inwhen it was first produced, the sertions, cooking stoves and came families making it, and using the same primitive means of manufacture. It is justly held in high eateem by Chinese connois-curs on account of its artistic thates and the dainty drawings with which decorated. A collection is now on view at Mesars. Komor and Komor's Art School, where specimens can be obtained at prices which will appear ridiculously chesp compared with other pottery of equal excellence.

SWEDEN AND WOOD PULP.

Now that most countries are organizing their forces in order to salarge their export trade when the war is over, it is natural that the Chambers of Commerce should play a large part in the endeavour, and many have been III Life and Annuity Funds the publications issued setting forth the particular merits of the various countries' producta. We have just received an excellently produced little journal publish ed by the Swedish Chamber of Commerce in London dealing almost exclusively with the production of wood pulp. importance of this trade Sweden is well known, and in the booklet to hand the subject is Departments of the Company's business. fully reviewed and the country's wast resources and producing caparity emphasised. Severa excellent illustrations add interes to the number. The issuing o' this production should do much to bring home to consumers of paper their indebtedness Sweden for her pioneer work in paper-making from wood pulp.

PUBLIC AUCTIONS.

AUCTIONEER SHARE & GENERAL BROKER,

THE Undersigned has received L. instructions from the Liquidators of Mesars. F. Blackhead & Co. to sell by Public Auction

WEDNESDAY, THURS AY. FRIDAY & SATURDAY the 16th, 17th 18th & 19th February 1916 commencing each day

at il a.m. (and subsequent dates which will be notified later at Messrs. F. Blackhead & Co's. Store, Ice House Road. A Large Quantity of Ship-

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North British & Mercantile insurance Company, in which are vested the shares of

THE BAILWAY PASSENGERS AS-SURANCE COMPANY. (TOTAL FUNDS AT 31 st. DECEMBER 1914) T.-Authoritised Capital-£6,000,+10 Subscribed Capital -- 4,500 000

Paid-up Capital Sinking Fund Account

£33,970,367 Revenue Fire Branch - -Life and Annuity Branches -- - - 2,141,593 Marine Department

The Account lative Funds of the various Branches are separately invested and by Act of Parliament, are set aside to meet the claims under the respective

NOTICE

I have this day commenced business as Merchant and Commission Agent under the firm name of FRANK SMITH & CO., at No. 6 Des Vœux Road Central. te Hongkong. F. H. SMITH

Hongkong, 11th February, 1916.

POST OFFICE.

Correspondence addressed to enemy subjects in China Siam Persia and Mereese cannot be transmitted.

The Services to Germany, Ametric, and the Ottoman Empire are suspended.

Shine in communication with Cape D'Arnliar Radio Telegraph Station .-Fultain. Täsondari Gienlogan

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MAILS DUE. Shanghal, Chenan, 16th Feb. Shanghai, Andre Lebon, 18th Feb. Australia, Taiyuan, 19th Feb. Anstralia, St. Albane, 20th Feb.

MAILS CLOSE TO-MORROW.

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16th Feb. 9 a.m. Shanghai, North China and Japan via Moji, Victoria, R.C. Vancouver & United Kingdom wiz Canad «Europe via Siberia) FAE- Per MONTEAGLE 16th U.S Feb 10.30 a.m. (Shanghai Br. P.O. Seturday, 19th Fab.)

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TEURSDAY, 17th Feb. Hothow, Pakhot & Hatphong-PerSUNG: KTANG 17th Feb.9 am. Heihow & Haiphong-Per HONGKONG.

17th Feb. 11 a.m. Shanghai & N. China (Europe via Siberia) - Per SHAN-TUNG, 17th Feb. 3 p.m.

FRIDAY, 18th Feb. Swatow, Amoy & Foothow-Per HAI-HONG, 13th Fea. 1 p.m.

SATURDAY, 19th Feb.

OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE Heibow & Haiphong-Per LOKSANG, Saigon Straits Burmah. Coylon, Adelaide, Western, & Europe. - Per ANDRE LEBON, 19th Feb. 4 p.m. Weihaiwei & Tientsin-Per HUICHOW. 19th Feb 5 p.m.

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MONDAY, 28th Feb. Australia, Tasmania, New = Zeeland, via Port Darwin, and New Guines via Thursday Is.

Per TAIYUAN, 28th Feb. 11

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> CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE.

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WATER RETURN.

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TIDE TABLE. From 14th to 20th Feb., 19:6.

Street, in the City of Victoria, Bong Long.

SALES OF BRITISH SERAMERS

Attempts to Evade Texation

In view of the new excess profit texation, rays the Times, it seems important that transfers of shipping which apparently are being made between British subjects should in future be examined minutely. There is, unfortunately, reason for balleving that within the past few months transfers have been made by which the control. and, it was intended, the large Kworgsang, Br. and Less, W. F. Bichard. profits of British ships would pass Feb.-Swetow, 14th Feb. into foreign bands. Seles involving the transfer of a steamer from the British to a foreign flag are now not permitted.

> The method adopted appears to be as follows:—A, who is the subject of a neutral country, puts B, a British subject, in a position to buy a steamer from C. a British owner, at an enormous price. The transfer between the two British subjects having been duly completed. A, who is resident abroad, charters the steamer from B at such a rate as will not exceed the return of 6 per cent. allowed on new capital under the present Finance Act. A is then able to earn far higher profits on the vessel than the chartering charge paid to B, and, being a subject, be neutral escaping OIL taxation cent, of the excess profits. Such a scheme as this deserves to be dealt with sharply because it means not only that though the British registry of the vessel remains unchanged the control really passes into foreign hands, but also because it helps materially to keep the price of tonnage onits present dangerous level, and consequently to inflate freights further. A neutral owner who has no heavy taxation to meet obviously can afford to pay higher prices than the British owner. He will be recouped for his outlay much sooner. The scheme also nullifies the argument, which is st best a dangerous and deceptive one, that the rise in freights may the State.

An effective way of checking 31st December, 1915. these attempts to avoid taxation : British registered vessels would be for the Government, whenever it learns that such a transaction has been carried out, which period no transfer of shares immediately to requisition the vessel at the "Blue-book rates." As these terms are far below what Directors. can be obtained in the open market the purchase of the vessel at current prices would probably prove most unprofitable, and the knowledge of the unforfinancial ending to the transaction would deter other from stiempting to out a similar scheme. The higher the price an owner pays for a vessel, the higher the freights that he must earn to recoup himself. As the rise in pany will be held at the COM freights is primarily caused by PANY'S OFFICES, VICTORIA the continual withdrawal of ves sels for Government service and FEBRUARY, 1916 at noon, for the present policy of allowing REPORT of the DIRECTORS owners and merchants to scramble as best they may for the 10- ACCOUNTS for the year ending maining tonnage, there is nothing 31st December, 915. The RE to prevent freights rising far GISTER of SHARES of the higher yet. But though so long Company will be closed from as the present methods are follow- FRIDAY 1 th. to. FRIDAY 18th ed a rise is inevitable, undesirable February, 1916 (both days inschemes which have the effect of galloss forcing up freights should at least

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NOTICE

HONGKONG AND SHANG HA BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary Yearly Meeting of the Shareholders in this Corporation will be held at the City Hall. Hongkong, on Saturday, the 19th day of February, 1916, at noon, FRIDAY, the 25th February, be regarded complemently because for the purpose of receiving the 50 per cent of the excess profits Report of the Court of Directors of British owners are taken by together with a statement of Accounts for the year ending the

> The Register of Shares of the Corporation will be closed from MONDAY, the 7th February, to SATURDAY, the 19th February. the Company will be CLOSED 1916 (both days inclusive), during can be registered.

By Order of the Court N.J. STABB, Chief Manag

Hongrong, 31st January 19

THE KOWLOON LAND AND

BUILDING CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the TWENTY-SEVENTH ORDINARY MEETING SHAREHOLDERS in this Com-BUILDINGS of FRIDAY 18th the purpose of receiving the together with Statement clusive), during which period no TRANSFER of SHARES can be registered. By Order of the Board of Directors.

MOWBRAY S. NORTH COTE Acting Secretary

THE HONGKONG LAND IN-

vestment & agency CO., LTD-Agents

or the Kowloon Land and Build ing Co., Lti.

HONGKONG HORTICUL-TUBAL SOCIETY. ANNUAL SHOW.

The Flower and Vegetable Show will be held on the 3rd and 4th March. in the Botanic Gardens. Intending Exhibitors should Sceamship Line will be operate send their entry forms to the Hou. Secretary not later than 2:th CANADIAN PACIFIC OCHAN February-

Copies of Rules and Schedules

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ARY ANNUAL MEETING OF SHARE IOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Offices of the Company, St. George's Building. No. 6 Connaught Boad, on 19.6 at IL30 am. for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Peport of the General Managers for the year ending 31st December, 1915, and electing a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of from MONDAY, the 21st Febcuary, 1916 until FRIDAY the the 25th February, 1916, both days

SHEWAN TOMES & CO. General Managers. Hongkong, 10th February, 1916.

NOTICE

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CANADIAN PACIFIC OCEAN SERVICES LIMITED. Pacific Service.

I have this day handed over the Hongkong Agency to Mr. J. H. Wallace who will assume charge as General Agent. during my absence on leave. D. W. CRADDOCK

General Traffic Agent Hongkong, 14th February, 1916.

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From and after this date the vessels of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's Royal Mail ed under the title of the SERVICES LTD. as Managers and Agents for the Canadian may be obtained from the Hon | scine Railway Ocean Steam-

> D. W. CRADDOCK. Gund Tuffe Russ

Hongkong, Little February 1916